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**NOVEL BENZOTHIEPINES HAVING ACTIVITY AS INHIBITORS
OF ILEAL BILE ACID TRANSPORT AND TAUROCHOLATE UPTAKE**

Abstract of the Disclosure

5 Provided are novel benzothiepinines, derivatives,
and analogs thereof; pharmaceutical compositions
containing them; and methods of using these compounds
and compositions in medicine, particularly in the
10 prophylaxis and treatment of hyperlipidemic conditions
such as those associated with atherosclerosis or
hypercholesterolemia, in mammals.